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Application Number: 09/548203											
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Multiple Dependent	-3** = 0	X	0

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1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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Re: U.S. Patent Application of Theodore M. Osborne et al.  
Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SOFTWARE OBJECT TESTING  
Filed On: April 13, 2000  
Application No. 09/548,203  
DCM File No.: EMPIR-019PUS

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Dear Sir:

Applicant would like to bring to the attention of the Examiner in the above-identified application the existence of the following co-pending U.S. patent application:

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/482,178 filed on January 12, 2000, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application 60/151,418 filed on August 30, 1999; and

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/481,151 filed on January 12, 2000.

Appl. No. 09/548,203

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If the Examiner has any questions concerning this application or this letter, he or she is respectfully invited to telephone the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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